TAUBMAN CENTERS INC

Form 4

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See Instruction 1(b).

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * TAUBMAN WILLIAM S			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	TAUBMAN CENTERS INC [TCO] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)	
TAUBMAN C LONG LAKE	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	•	(Month/Day/Year) 08/29/2006	_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chief Operating Officer	
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Che	
BLOOMFIEL	D HILLS,	MI 48304	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative Secui	rities Acc	quired, Disposed	of, or Benefic	ially Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	08/29/2006		P	250 A	\$ 39.91	12,900	I	By daughter $\underline{(1)}$
Common Stock						500,000 (2)	I	By limited liability company (3)
Common Stock						186,837	I	By general partnership (4)
Common Stock						12,950	I	By son (1)

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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of	
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transact	ionNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amour	nt of	Derivative	
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underl	ying	Security	
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securit	ties	(Instr. 5)	
	Derivative				Securities	1		(Instr.	3 and 4)		
	Security				Acquired						
					(A) or						
					Disposed						
					of (D)						
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
									or		
						Date	e Expiration	Title Number			
						Exercisable	Date		of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Ketationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

TAUBMAN WILLIAM S TAUBMAN CENTERS, INC. 200 E LONG LAKE RD, SUITE 300 BLOOMFIELD HILLS, MI 48304

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Chief Operating Officer

Signatures

/s/ Donald J. Kunz, Attorney-in-Fact 09/11/2006

**Signature of Reporting Person Da

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Mr. Taubman disclaims all beneficial interest in the shares of common stock owned by his children.
- (2) On March 30, 2006, the limited liability company distributed 50,000 shares of common stock to a member of such entity.
- (3) Mr. Taubman disclaims all beneficial interest in the shares of common stock owned by such limited liability company beyond his pecuniary interest therein.
- (4) Mr. Taubman disclaims all beneficial interest in the shares of common stock owned by such partnership beyond his pecuniary interest therein.

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Reporting Owners 2

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